

PRIMARY BILL DENOUNCED AS A CHILD OF POPULISM

James G. Monahan Bitterly Assails the Measure Before a Legislative Committee.

H. C. ADAMS DEFENDS THE PROPOSED LAW

First Big Gun in the Fight Fired at Madison Yesterday Afternoon—H. C. Taylor of Orfordville, Also Supports the Bill.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 13.—The first big gun in the battle over the proposed primary election law—the most important measure to come before the legislature at this session—was heard yesterday when State Dairy and Food Commissioner H. C. Adams appeared before the joint committee on privileges and elections and in a speech of great length defended the bill and argued its passage.

H. C. Taylor of Orfordville, a farmers' institute lecturer, spoke for the bill.

Meet Again This Afternoon.

There was only one address against the bill and that by J. G. Monahan of Darlington, collector of internal revenues for this district.

After the three speakers had discussed the bill the committee adjourned until this afternoon when another session will be held.

Mr. Adams took up every phase of the bill, stated all the objections that had been made against it and answered each one in detail. He called attention to the inconsistency of the opposition maintaining that the party platform need not be observed and pointed out the benefits of direct nominations by the people.

Mr. Taylor spoke as a farmer and said that the rural voter was intensely interested in the bill and wanted the legislature to pass it.

Monahan Flays the Bill.

James G. Monahan, internal revenue collector for the western district of Wisconsin, followed Mr. Adams. He bitterly assailed the measure, declaring that there was no demand for such a law, that it was born in the brain of Governor La Follette, and was populist in spirit. He declared that it would deprive the farmers from a just voice in the government, that it creates unnecessary taxation, takes away from the people the right to make party platforms, makes it impossible to consider location or nationalities in the nomination of tickets, abandons representative government; in short, he denied all the advantages claimed by the supporters of the bill and declared that the evils that it sought to remedy would be accentuated under the proposed law.

M. G. Jeffris to Oppose It.

Both Messrs. Adams and Monahan were applauded when they finished speaking. Both were in good voice and Mr. Monahan was especially eloquent and at his best. At the conclusion of his address he was warmly congratulated by many of the members, even some of Mr. La Follette's closest friends praising his effort.

Mr. Monahan said that there would be other speakers against the bill among them M. G. Jeffris of Janesville.

Adams Favors Proposed Law.

Mr. Adams said in part: "The opponents of the primary election law, presenting numerous objections against the measure, must be crowded by the resistless force of plain logic into the final attitude of denying the wisdom of popular government, and affirming the desirability of representative government wherever that is possible. The friends of the measure stand squarely upon this proposition: That whenever we can

DIVORCES NOT VALID

Over 200 Separated Milwaukee People Now Find Themselves Married Hard and Fast.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 13.—Judge L. W. Halsey of the circuit court discovered today that during the last two years fifty-five judgments for divorce that were handed down in the superior court and twenty-five in the circuit court had not been recorded. Therefore the parties in these cases who have remarried are illegally bound in matrimony and are really guilty of bigamy.

The list comprises some prominent Wisconsin people and its publication would create a sensation. Judges Ludwig, Elliot, Williams and Halsey

decided today after an informal session not to make known the list of names until after the parties and their attorneys had been notified of the existing state of affairs. During the conference a rule was adopted requiring attorneys to deposit \$5.20 with the clerk of the courts before a judgment for divorce is granted.

RUSSIA REFUSES TO AID THE ALLIES

London, Feb. 13.—A dispatch from Shan Hai Wan says forty-two Russians were killed in an engagement at Kao Chaid. The Russian force refused assistance to the allied troops.

CARNEGIE DEAL SAID TO BE OFF

Reported to Have Been Playing a "Scotch Trick" on Morgan. Cleveland, O., Feb. 13.—The Carnegie steel plant will not be sold, and it is believed that Mr. Carnegie will shortly come forward with the greatest financial coup of his history, which has been repete with them. It would not be surprising to financial authorities to find when the clouds have lifted that Mr. Carnegie had outgeneraled no less a man than J. Pierpont Morgan and that it was never entered into with any degree of seriousness by Mr. Carnegie. It is believed that this is another Scotch trick, by which Mr. Carnegie will come out a million or so ahead of the game and still have his steel plant and be able to operate it under more favorable conditions than before negotiations were opened.

EX-SENATOR WEEKS HAS PASSED AWAY

Well Known Whitewater Attorney a Victim to Bright's Disease—Ill for Several Months.

Whitewater, Wis., Feb. 13.—Ex-Senator Thompson D. Weeks died last night about midnight of Bright's disease after several months' illness. He leave a wife and two children, Charles S. Weeks of this city and Helen L. wife of Lucius Wakeley of St. Louis. Mr. Weeks has been a leading member of the bar of the state for many years and has also been prominent in politics.

He was elected to the assembly of 1867 as a republican and also served two term in the state senate, 1874-5, 1893-5, during the latter term being president of the body. He also served seventeen years as a member of the state board of normal regents.

Mr. Weeks was born in Norwich, Mass., Nov. 5, 1833. His parents were natives of the Bay state, and traced their ancestors back to George Weeks, who came from England in 1635 and cast his lot with the puritans.

PINGREE TO RUN AGAIN

Will Be Candidate for Governor if the Legislature Does Not Adopt His Proposed Reforms.

New York, Feb. 13.—Hazen S. Pingree, former governor of Michigan, his son, Hazen S. Pingree, Jr., and Col. E. S. Sutton were passengers on the White Star line steamer Symrie which sailed last evening. Gov. Pingree is going abroad on business and will remain several weeks in England. His son will go to South Africa on business. Before sailing Governor Pingree said that he would again be a candidate for the governor of Michigan if the legislative reforms he advocated were not passed in that state.

An Address to the King.

London, Feb. 13.—The lord mayor and members of the corporation proceeded, in state to St. James palace this afternoon to present an address of loyalty to the king. There was only languid interest in the proceedings.

MODERN WOODMEN OF THE WORLD IN CONVENTION AT MILWAUKEE

Delegates Representing Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan and Iowa in Attendance—Sharp Contest Over Election of Officers

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 13.—The biennial convention of Camp D. Modern Woodmen of the World, opened here today. The following states are included in the Camp D. district: Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and Michigan. The Iowa delegation held a caucus last night to decide upon candidates for head consul and two of the three delegates-at-large. Charles T. Cooper of Davenport was nominated for head consul over E. W. Catlett of Burlington.

The caucuses then tried to select one of the two candidates for delegates at large, but became deadlocked and adjourned. Two ballots were taken each resulting in the 70 votes being equally divided between E. W. Catlett of Burlington and Win S. Smith of Sioux City. The caucus decided to vote as a unit in support of its nominee.

At the caucus held by the Wisconsin delegation N. A. Ladd of Madison was selected as the Badger candidate for

MOVE TO DOUBLE THEIR SALARIES

Bill Raising Wages of Legislators From \$500 to \$1,000.

SUBMIT IT TO VOTERS

Measure Installing Initiative and Referendum Bobs Up Again This Morning.

IN THE LEGISLATURE TODAY

Madison, Wis., Feb. 13.—A bill providing for the installation of the initiative and referendum in Wisconsin was introduced in the assembly today by Franklin Johnson. It provides that upon the petition of two per cent of the voters or the request of a convention, any public question must be submitted to the voters before it can become a law.

An insurance tax bill which will help the Milwaukee Life by renewing retaliatory features was introduced in both houses. It provides a tax of three per cent on all business as provided by the present law.

A move to double the salaries of legislators was introduced in the senate by O'Neill. It provides for a constitutional amendment increasing the salary of legislators from \$500 to \$1,000, and gives them ten cents a mile for travel each way, as now, and cuts off all perquisites.

Milwaukee Wants Two.

The Milwaukee delegation is preparing to make a determined and concerted effort to secure for Milwaukee county two congressmen under the new apportionment. They have arranged for a meeting to be held in Milwaukee on Saturday next, probably at the Hotel Pfister, at which plans will be discussed for the bringing about of the desired results. They feel that if the can present a united front and insist upon having the two congressmen they will get them. The advance sheets of the census report showing the population of the state, have been received from Washington and the members are now in a position to go ahead with the work.

Tanner Still Holds His Job.

The question of the vacancy in the office of the state inspector of illuminating oils is still undecided. Nobody has as yet been appointed to succeed Dr. Tanner, who was appointed by Governor Scofield but whose appointment has not been confirmed. It was stated that the governor held the office to be vacant, but he says that he has not authorized any statement to that effect. Dr. Tanner's case is identical with that of Dr. Glute and if one office was vacant it would seem that the other must be. Dr. Tanner, it is understood, is still attending to the duties of the office.

First Evening Session.

The first evening session of the legislature outside of the regular Monday evening session will occur one week from last night. Next Tuesday will be the last day for presenting new bills, and evening sessions will be held to permit the introduction of belated measures.

DRUG STORES IN A TRUST.

Combination Formed to Control Front-nement Corners in Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—A "drug store trust" in Chicago is the latest development in the "community of interests" plan of financing. It is now reported by prominent retail druggists throughout the city that a syndicate has been formed for the control of all of the best paying drug stores in the city. It is claimed the syndicate already has control of the principal downtown stores, and all of the stores in State street between Randolph and Thirty-first streets. Others are being acquired daily.

The syndicate was formed, according to Romane Pierson of the American Druggist, as a result of opposition to the National Association of Retail Druggists. The association has a rule which prohibits jobbers from selling "cut rate" drug stores. Lord, Owen & Co. objected to this rule, and to defeat its purpose started out to control the retail drug trade of Chicago.

The plan of operation is said to be to offer the owner of a prosperous drug store a handsome price for his property and a salary equal to his annual profits to remain as manager. It is successful in most cases.

PLEADS WHISKY HABIT

Peculiar Line of Defense Adopted in the Hamilton Trial in Minneaplis Today.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—Frank Hamilton's defense was opened this morning by his counsel who stated that Hamilton had formed the whiskey habit while in Colorado seeking a cure for consumption. He alluded to Day as a spoiled son spending his time in dissipation. There was a general melee on the night of the killing and that everyone was drunk and that more than one knife was used. Hamilton was to intoxicated to be responsible. Clerk Jackson of the West Hotel was the first witness. Day had shown Jackson a big knife.

TAFT FOR GOVERNOR OF THE PHILIPPINES

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—It is understood that in accord with his original intention, made public in the appointment of the Taft commission, the president as soon as the Spooner amendment to the army appropriation bill becomes a law appoint Judge William H. Taft to be governor of the Philippine islands. Military rule will then be superseded by civil government and a status similar to that of Porto Rico will be established as soon as possible.

OIL WELL IS A FREAK

The Astonishing Strike on an Indiana Farm, Has Ptered Down to a Small Product.

Hartford City, Ind., Feb. 13.—The gigantic oil well struck on the Bird farm which has been astonishing the old men in the business by producing seven thousand barrels per day, has narrowed down to five hundred and shows signs of exhaustion. The well is a freak and wont last.

EDWARD VII. FEELS INTEREST IN LABOR

London, Feb. 13.—King Edward answering an address of the London county council today said that the development of the government of London was one of the most important features in his mother's reign. He was confident that the citizens will not slacken their efforts in the housing of the working classes, a matter in which he felt deep interest.

GOV. NASH MEANS TO STOP THE FIGHT

Columbus, O., Feb. 13.—Ten companies of the Sixth regiment have been given orders to start for Cincinnati so as to reach there on Friday afternoon and camp at the Saengerfest building where the fight is scheduled to take place.

W. C. T. U. Urges Uprising.

Hutchinson, Kas., Feb. 13.—Mrs. E. P. Hutchinson, state president of the W. C. T. U. and other state officers have sent a manifesto to W. C. T. U. unions all over the state urging a general uprising against the saloon. Mass meetings are urged to adopt resolutions calling upon Governor Stanley to enforce the prohibition law and stir up the people.

Senator Platt's Wife Dead.

New York, Feb. 13.—Ellen Bristow Platt, the wife of Senator Thos. C. died at six this morning at the Fifth avenue hotel of heart trouble.

MRS. CARRIE NATION VISITS IN CHICAGO

Makes Whirlwind Circuit of the Metropolis of the West.

GRANDSON OWNS A BAR

She Meets Mayor Harrison and Says She Will Call on Him.

SCORES WOMEN AT A DANCE

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Carrie Nation reached Chicago on a belated Rock Island train after 8 o'clock last night, and before 2 in the morning had made a whirlwind circuit around the city that taxed the speed and ingenuity of many who followed to keep up with her. Inside of five hours the noted saloon smasher found time to make a lengthy speech in Willard hall, go to her hotel and retire, rise again, visit ten resorts on South State street, and talk with the proprietors and bartenders, and visit the hall of the Cook county Democracy at the First Regiment armory. This was not all, for during her busy evening she found a long-lost grandson of her husband keeping a saloon under an assumed name, embraced him and talked about relatives and old times, with sobs and prayers of praise.

"Grandma," he said, "it's Ed. I'm so glad to see you that I could cry."

Mrs. Nation recovered from her astonishment and embraced her new-found relative. She plied him with questions and asked him what work he was engaged in. "Come with me," he replied, "and you will see."

He took his grandmother next door to 280 State street, and pointed to a sign over the door of the saloon, "Riley & Edwards, Fine Wines and Liquors." "I'm the Riley, grandma," he said. Then the woman burst into another fit of weeping and asked him to come to her hotel and see her this morning. He promised that he would, assisted her into her hack and stood bareheaded as she drove away.

On the arm of Capt. Farrell, and surrounded by men and women, Mrs. Nation was a guest for ten minutes at the Cook county Democracy hall at the First Regiment armory early this morning. Mrs. Nation had been visiting saloons since 11:30 o'clock last night, but dropped into the armory on her way to her rooms at the Windsor hotel.

"It's Carrie Nation, sure," called the dancers as they rushed to the door.

"Yes; how are you, and where's your Democratic mayor?" asked the little woman with the black thick shawl.

"Here he comes," they cried, as Mayor Harrison came up.

"I'm Carrie Nation, mayor."

"Yes, Mrs. Nation."

"Is there any liquor here?"

"You'd better ask the management."

"Can't you tell the truth?"

"Ask the management, Mrs. Nation."

"I'm going to the city hall tomorrow to see you, Mr. Harrison."

"I shall be delighted, Mrs. Nation."

Mrs. Nation sighed as Mayor Harrison walked away. "His face looks good, why does he let hell holes exist?"

The crowd called "Speech," "Platform," and Capt. Farrell escorted Mrs. Nation to the galleries. Passing a table covered with beer glasses, she stooped and smelled of the bottles. "Shame! shame!" she said, "and I see some women drinking." She looked about her. "The women's breaths do not smell sweet and they are not properly dressed. There is much for me to do."

Mrs. Nation Resting Today.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—All the sensation that Carrie Nation was scheduled to create by her appearance in Chicago was delivered last night. Today the famous ax wielder from Kansas rested quietly at her hotel reading voluminous correspondence and resisted all attempts to get her on the war path. This afternoon she lectured at Willard hall.

COMMERCIAL WAR AGAINST RUSSIA

Washington, Feb. 13.—The first gun in the commercial war of the United States with Russia has been fired by Secretary Gage who recommends the countervailing duty on goods imported from the land of the czar. Russia has been purchasing eleven millions of dollars' worth of farm implements from the United States every year. Doubtless it will return the shot by imposing high duties on our produce.

C. E. Hornum and Wm. Ernest are home from a two days' overland trip to Jefferson and Johnson's Creek

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY AS OBSERVED ON ITS ORIGIN IN OLD ENGLAND

Sam Pepys in His Inimitable Diary 250 Years Ago, Tells of Valentines.

"Sir William Batten sent my wife yesterday (being her Valentine) half a dozen pairs of gloves and a pair of silk stockings and garters for her valentines, so she went to his house and sat awhile," wrote Sam Pepys in that inimitable diary of his two centuries and a half ago. And again he writes:

"This morning came up to my wife's bedside to be her little valentine, little Will Mercer; and brought her name writ upon blue paper in gold letters done by himself, very pretty, and we were both well pleased with it. But I am also this year my wife's valentine, and it will cost me £5, but that I must have laid out for her had we not been valentines. I find too that Mrs. Pierce's little girl is my valentine, she having drawn me; which I was not sorry for, it easing me of something more that I must have given another older."

The vogue of valentines is an old one for the saint has found devotees for many and many a day, so that the young man or the young woman who is sending these messages of Dan Cupid in this first year of the Twentieth century is doing just what other young people have done through other centuries. But the kind of valentine varies with the years, and one sends posies and boxes of sweets and dainty jewels as messages in these days, when in Pepy's time the gifts were of a more practical nature, and in the days of a generation ago were not gifts at all, but amatory messages, printed or written by hand on the most ornamental paper, with doves and cupids and languishing women and lovers swains, all calculated to touch the susceptible hearts of the receivers.

In addition to the pictured valentines with their marvelous bits of poetry upon them, the stationers used to lay in a large stock of fine paper with lace edges, quite like that now used to finish confectionery boxes, only of a nicer grade. This was eagerly bought by the lover who wanted to write his own poetry or make his own selection—usually from Tom Moore's poems—although the poet's corner of the weekly newspaper furnishes its quota.

One of the favorite poetical bits to which valentine senders were specially partial was one of which the words were set to music, forming one of the favorite songs of that period. It was extremely sentimental and decidedly tearful as was much of the poetry of the time.

It began cheerfully:
Has sorrow thy young days shaded.
Another favorite of the time was the poem beginning:
Come rest in my bosom my own
stricken deer.

As this was just as likely as not to be sent to a giggling, round-cheeked girl, who never had a grief in her life, its special appropriateness might be questioned, but it was considered most beautiful poetry, and the girl who had it sent to her was very proud, and looked down upon her mates who had some less touching

stanzas simply avowing affection, but making no promises of weeping or dying or suffering in any way.

This was the time when the heroines of stories wept their way through boots or died early of lung trouble brought on—presumably—by the thin shoes which were the vogue, although the novelists hinted mysteriously of hidden griefs, and the poetry had to be up to the stories.

If a young woman had trifled with the affections of a lover he just took it out of her at valentine time, and Tom Moore helped him as well as the hopeful lover. He took a satirical strain, and wrote his valentine in this fashion:

The light that lies in woman's eyes
Has been my heart's undoing.

They were funny, these valentines of half a century ago, as one sees when she comes across one of them tied up in a bundle of old letters that have grown yellow in the chest in the old attic. What queer, spidery writing, how different from everything of today. But they were treasured as carefully, and regarded as tenderly as are the most costly valentines of the present day, or the gifts which are made to take the place of the valentine proper. Perhaps even more so, for gifts or remembrances of any kind were not so common as they are today, and the written bit of poetry on the lace edged paper carried more real serious intention with it than does the box of roses or candies, which are often sent merely as a compliment or a return for a piece of hospitality, and which are only the expression of friendship or gratitude.

In the older day the man who ventured to send the slightest expression of friendship to a woman, committed himself as irrevocably as if he proposed to her. It was a serious matter to show anything like attention to a girl unless one wanted to marry her, and that is why the valentines were sent only by genuine lovers and were so cherished by the recipients. They were the warmest love letters a man ever permitted himself to write, and they masqueraded under the signature of St. Valentine.

There was a time when the valentine sending grew somewhat in disfavor, because it was made the occasion of paying off old scores, and even of insulting some one who had incurred the sender's enmity. To be sure only vulgar souls and coarse people who erred out of thoughtlessness and ignorance ever sent them, but the practice brought disrepute on all valentine sending, and it is only recently that the custom has been revived in a new form, and made an added occasion of remembering a friend or a sweetheart with some pretty or appropriate gift.

And so the dear old saint has come to be as well beloved in this generation as in any of the generations that are past, and gone forever, leaving behind them only the fragrance of beautiful memories and the tradition of pretty customs.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

The invigorating, blithesome, rollicking "Belle of New York" will appear at the Myers Grand on Monday night, next. The "Belle" is one of those musical comedies of which the public never tires of seeing or hearing. The music is by Gustave Kerker, and is in that composer's best vein. The book and lyrics are the work of Hugh Morton and represent his best work.

BRONCHITIS

may mean a mere cold or a chronic incurable inflammation of wind-pipes.

The quickest relief, for a cold, is also the most effectual balm for the worst condition of wind-pipes and lungs.

It takes the edge off a cold in a night, and relieves it progressively—one forgets it after a little.

An old bronchitis, however, is obstinate. Nothing restores the tissues, when once destroyed; and an old bronchitis has gradually impaired and partly destroyed the lining of those small pipes between throat and lungs.

Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil is the balm; it soothes if it cannot restore.

We'll send you a little to try, if you like.
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl street, New York.

was heard. It was ordered that \$605 with \$10 costs and \$1 clerk's fees be paid to Winkley and the balance to Isaac O'Claire.

In the case of J. Thompson and sons vs. Gilbert I. Gunderson, the action was dismissed without costs except clerk's fees, and the attachment ordered released.

SNOW BALL INDUSTRY

Reaches a Point Where It Becomes a Menace to Limb if Not Life—
a Few Examples.

Charles Hudson, foreman at Welch's tobacco warehouse, is laid up and suffering considerable pain as the result of a snow ball which hit him in the eye. There is nothing to indicate malice back of the shot but the skill displayed by the youngster who threw the missile has temporarily deprived Mr. Hudson of his sight.

King Herod is the monarch held up for universal scorn, but there are times when the victim of youthful gaiety feels that if the Herod spirit were abroad occasionally a much needed reform might be inaugurated.

This snow ball industry is being prosecuted just now to the extent of abuse. While no right minded adult wishes to curtail the pleasures of childhood they often feel that grown people also have inherent and inalienable rights that children ought to respect.

One of these is to ride or walk on the public streets without molestation, but while the abundant snow remains and the sun is strong enough to make it cohere into balls that dream of inherent rights is vain.

Sunday two gentlemen were enjoying a cutter ride, and as they were well dressed they became a target for expert snow ball practice by a bevy of boys. One of the gentlemen alighted and found a stone which he hurled with such precision as to hit one of the throng on that portion of his head where the phrenological development known as reverence is supposed to reside.

That put a quietus on the practice for the time being, but the next victim probably got a double dose. The man who fired the shot was a rather lame arm in consequence, but he is sustained by the consciousness that he was wounded in a worthy cause.

If the nuisance continues there is great likelihood that more than one boy will be nursing divers and sundry sore spots on his anatomy, for the long suffering forbearance of human nature has a limit.

THE BICYCLE OF 1901

Does Not Differ Much from Last Year's Wheel—Outlook for Season?
Trade is Not Good.

The bicycle of 1901 does not differ materially from the 1900 wheel. The man that has a 1900 wheel in good repair is about as well off as the man that buys a new wheel every year.

Of course there are a number of improvements in the way of cushion frames and cushion seat posts, coasting brakes and other appliances that are added to some wheels to increase their popularity, but do not add materially to the looks or service of the wheel.

The chainless wheel is not as popular as was expected and the chain wheel still has a strong pull on the majority of the riders. There are many things in favor of the chainless but the principal drawback is the price. A chain wheel, that is equally as good as the chainless, can be bought for about one half of the money and this causes the purchaser to think twice before buying a chainless.

The popularity of the bicycle is on the decline. Where there were formerly 426 factories there are now but 37.

The trusts have a hard fight trying to drive out the independent factories and are losing money trying to sell machines below what the independent factories ask for them. They cannot force the smaller factories out of existence where the wheels are well known.

The dealers in the cities are not stocking up as heavily as in former years and the slow sales are causing trouble for the large factories in the trust that have manufactured a large number of wheels for the spring trade. Bicycles are really cheap this year and a chain wheel that a few years ago cost from \$75 to \$100 can now be purchased for \$30 or \$35.

Taking it altogether the outlook for this season's trade is not as bright as in former years.

Hood's Pills

Are prepared from Nature's mild laxatives, and while gentle are reliable and efficient. They

Rouse the Liver

Cure Sick Headache, Biliousness, Sour Stomach, and Constipation. Sold everywhere, 25c. per box. Prepared by C.L. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

IMPORTANT MATTER OF TRANSPORTATION

Ezra Goodrich Advocates Mercantile Delivery on Daily School Route—Other Points.

The following communication from Ezra Goodrich contains suggestions concerning transportation to and from centralized schools, which are well worth consideration. This subject cannot be too greatly agitated, and it is advisable to look at it from all possible points of view.

Mr. Goodrich says:
Things we thought of in centralized schools:

Spring wagons or busses would be the loads of scholars, as they will vary at the different seasons of the year; and owned by the towns the carriers would not be interested in sheltering and preserving them, as they would with wagons of their own.

We would have the towns furnish good wagon boxes, seated, and covered and cushioned like busses, and of different lengths suited for large or small loads, that would go onto common wagons or sleighs. We would also furnish the best of bolster springs, of different sizes that could be easily changed or adjusted for light or heavy loads.

We would let the carrying of scholars to the lowest bidder, who gave assurance of fulfilling the requirements of the route and the town.

We would give preference to using wide tired wagons, with small forward wheels that would turn under the box, when it was properly raised, as they would be more safe in turning round.

We would require the using of three horses abreast for large loads or bad roads, as they are more safe and easily controlled, and by having two tongues and neck yokes, which can be easily and cheaply rigged, the horses can all help hold and guide the loads of children safely down the hills. Three horses thus hitched, can carry as large a load as four horses driven in the usual way.

These carriers should also do quite a business in purchasing and bringing supplies for persons on their routes, as they return in the morning, and in bringing and selling for their patrons, fresh farm products when they came for the children in the afternoon.

This would build up a daily mercantile delivery to and from every farm in the country, that would to some extent rival the great department stores of the cities which are so popular now. In fact, those stores which depend largely upon orders direct from farmers in the country, could by this means deliver their goods direct to every farm home.

EZRA GOODRICH.

The First Time in This Century

A President will be inaugurated March 4th. Low fare tickets for that event will be sold via Pennsylvania Short Lines from Chicago to Washington March 1st, 2d and 3d, offering opportunity to witness the imposing ceremonies at small cost. Further information about rates and through train comforts may be ascertained by applying to H. R. Dering, A. G. P. Agt., 248 South Clark St., Chicago.

Talking and Listening.

It is a secret known to but few, yet of no small use in the conduct of life, that when you fall into a man's conversation, the first thing you should consider is, whether he has a greater inclination to hear you, or that you should hear him. The latter is the more general desire.—Steele.

DYSPEPSIA

is not incurable as many people suppose. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has never failed to cure the worst cases. It cleanses the system of all impurities, enriches the blood, makes strong nerves and cures constipation, indigestion, biliousness, liver and kidney troubles. A dose before meals will prevent belching or sourness of the stomach. Try it. See that Our Private Revenue Stamp covers the neck of the bottle.

Creates A Healthy Appetite.

The claim made by us that

"THE
HARDMAN
PIANO

IS THE ONLY PIANO WHICH IMPROVES UNDER USAGE" is proved by the fact that the unanimous testimony of those who have bought the "HARDMAN" corroborates the statement. Its full, resonant tone is maintained through years of service, and an added brilliancy, without maintenance, results through use.

H. F. NOTT

28 S. Main Street.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE LATEST FASHIONS

You have been thinking of buying a new

Winter Garment

for some time, why not buy now? We are showing some very desirable styles and as regards Prices

They Are Decidedly Down.

Only yesterday while in the garment section many complaints were being made by the better class of winter garments about the low treatment they were receiving. Just think of paying only \$7 for a \$22 jacket, or an 18 or a 16, or a \$20 one. Large line of Capes for elderly women.

Beau- Mercer- Pettit-
tiful ized coats

We have about 200 fine quality mercerized undershirts, all colors, large variety of styles. These skirts only a short time ago were \$2.50 to \$4.50. To increase the Feb. sales and reduce stock before taking inventory we have put these skirts into 3 Lots and nailed on figures that command attention.

Lot I - \$1.69

Lot II - \$2.00

Lot III - \$2.48

We also mention a new Isabel Skirt made of fancy striped heavy zouave skirting, with adjustable yoke, bottom finished with graduated cording and accordion pleating. This skirt will give excellent satisfaction, the material being firm and strong. As a leader the price is \$2.50.

Don't Forget

the substantial bargains we are offering in odd lot underwear. Prices start as low as 10c. Have vests, pants, suits for children, misses, women. Shirts and drawers for boys and men that are excellent. The \$2.50 Munsing suits for misses that we offer at \$1.50 are fast disappearing.

Wash Goods Section --

Women can commence their sewing early. Our present showings of dainty summer wash goods in dimities, lawns, sheer materials, mercerized stripes, and the more substantial percales and ginghams comprise probably 400 pieces and they are being freely cut into. Choice effects are picked up early.

Her Ladyship Corset..

Something new in corset dom. Guaranteed not to break over the hips. They give support to the body, perfect beauty to every curve, absolute comfort, stylish contour and symmetrical appearance. That chic, graceful carriage so much desired by American women. A great invention, price \$1.00.

It's a Tonic...

That is just what your physician will tell you in reference to Buob's famous

"Star Export"

beer. In the brewing of this beer we use only the purest of material.

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SOUTH SIDE BREWERY.
We deliver free of charge and with promptness.

Fine Sauer Kraut, per quart..... 5c

Dill Pickles, per dozen..... 10c

Sour Pickles, per quart..... 5c

Heinz Sweet Pickles, per quart, 25c and..... 15c

Pure Gold Flour.

Baumann's
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Fancy Cakes

You can always get them at the Buchholz home bakery. We have most all kinds. Fresh daily. Those we do not make regularly we will make to order for you upon short notice. Our baked goods are attaining a flattering reputation both inside and outside the Bower City. Can we include you among our already large list of patrons?

ALEX. BUCHHOLZ,
19 North Main Street,
New Phone, 246.

Eyes Are Accommodating

They'll see—maybe quite well, through a pair of glasses you pick from a basket—but nature tests a shrewd in forcing a collection of her debts—and fitting one's self to glaze is risky—terribly risky—the assurance we give you of furnishing the proper glasses places you beyond all risk.

F.G. COOK & CO.

Opposite Post Office.
W. F. Hayes, the expert optician, can be consulted in his office Saturdays and Mondays.

JANESVILLE FLORAL CO.

If in need of cut-flowers or Floral Designs come to us. In plants in bloom we have at present Azalias, Primroses, Cinerarias, Cyclamums and Daffodils. Palms, Ferns or Rubber Plants we keep a large stock.

RENTSCHLER BROS.
214 South Main Street. Both phones 12

SPRING WILL SOON BE HERE.



Now is the time to have that last summer suit or dress dyed or cleaned. We will make it look like new. The cost is small.

CARL BROCKHAUS,
Wilcox Block, Janesville Wis.

CITY TAX SALE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Treasurer of the City of Janesville will sell as much of the lots, pieces or parcels of land hereinafter described as may be necessary for the amount of taxes, costs and charges that is due upon each lot, parts of lots, pieces or parcels of land hereinafter described respectively, for the city taxes, costs and charges for the year 1900. That the said sale will take place on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1901, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. of said last mentioned day, and continue until all of said lots, pieces and parcels of land are sold respectively.

JAS. A. PATHERS,
City Treasurer.

Dated, Janesville Wis., Feb. 6th, 1901.
FARMING LANDS, FIRST WARD.

R. A. Hatherall, E½, S½, NW¼, NW¼, 20 3 12.

O. C. Field, in Lot 3 26 3 12.

Ed. N. by Wiley, E. by Rock River, S. by Ed. Hild's Add and Est land and Wash. St. (Ex. Ry.).

CROFT'S ADD.

J. T. Wright, Lots 1, 2, 3 and W. ¼ Lot 4.

CROFT'S SUB. PT 21, CROFT'S ADD.

J. T. Wright, Lot 6.

HIELD'S ADD.

S. B. Williams, Lot 7, Block 8.

ED. HIELD'S ADD.

O. C. Field, Lots 4, 13 and 14 and land E. of and a. J. Lots 13 and 14.

WILLARD'S SUB. LOT 1.

Max Fleming, Lots 13, 14, 15 and (Ex. N. 4 ft) 16.

MITCHELL'S SECOND ADD.

Walter Hazen, N½, NE¼, Lot 42.

R. A. Hatherall, N½, SE¼, Lot 46.

Margaret Wilson, N½, NW¼, Lot 51.

M. G. Haviland, N½, E½ and NW¼ ft., S2-S4, Lot 52.

MITCHELL'S THIRD ADD.

Mrs. F. C. Barker, S 1 rod 148 and N½ Lot 147.

CHATHAM ADD.

H. Jefferson, Lot 55 and 56.

J. J. Edwards, Lot 50.

F. L. Stevens, Lot 97.

SMITH, BAILEY AND STONE'S ADD.

J. T. Wright, W½, Lots 101 and 103.

LOVEJOY'S ADD.

C. J. Kichling, Lot 12.

NIOLE & STADLER'S ADD.

F. G. Smith, Lot A, Block 21.

O. W. Bemis, Lot 7, Block 6.

W. Hazen, Lot 15, Block 6.

D. S. Schook, Lot 8, Block 9.

Richardson Shoe Co., Lot 9, Block 11.

SECOND WARD.

ORIGINAL PLAT.

Win. Hadden, (Ex. E. 60 feet) Lot 4 Block 20.

Arthur Bailey, W. 42 feet, Lot 4, Block 37.

HICKORY GLEN ADD.

Gus Zerbel, E½, S 1-13 Lot 5.

PEASE'S ADD.

E. H. Pelton, E½, Lot 20.

M. E. Hild, N ½, E 7 rods, Lot 30.

PEASE'S SECOND ADD.

E. Hild, Pt 147 and Lots 117 and 118.

PEASE'S THIRD ADD.

R. R. SERMAN, Lot 309.

VALENTINE'S ADD.

Geo. Simpson, Lot 13.

PICKLEY & STADLER'S SECOND ADD.

J. Clark Est, E½, Lots 10, 11, Block 4.

THIRD WARD.

Farming Lands.

S T R

Dixon & Dillon, in SW¼, 80 3 13.

100 ft. sq. Bd. W. and It N. by Fair Grounds, E. by Pease and S. by McKinney.

H. D. McKinney, in S.W.¼ 80 3 13.

Ed. N. by Dixon and Dillon, E. by Pease, S. by Driving Park Assn. W. by Fair Grounds, also Ed. N. by Driving Park Assn. E. and S. by Pease and W. by Fair Grounds.

Janesville Driving Park Assn. in SW¼ 80 3 13.

¼ acre adj. McKinney and N and S of same.

ORIGINAL PLAT.

A. L. Jepsom, S 4 rods, Lot 1, Block 2.

ANDERSON'S SUB.

M. Ellison, Lots 2 and 13.

DICKSON & BAILEY'S ADD.

Mary Ann Kendall, Lot 63.

MAY'S ADD.

Otto Jacke, Lots 17 and 18.

NORTON'S SUB.

Lots 506, Bk. 4, C and W. add.

Max Fleming, Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20.

PARKER'S ADD.

Emily Alvis, Lots 27, 28, 29 and 30.

FOREST PARK ADD.

JV. M. Carrier, Lots 9 and 10, Block 11.

SUB. E. 1/2, C. 1/2.

Forest Park Add.

M. Hogan, Lot 1, Block 3.

GLEN ETTA ADD.

C. S. Graves, Lots 6 and 7.

RIVERVIEW PARK ADD.

A. Richardson, Lot 26.

WHEELER'S ADD.

James Smith, Lot 1, Block 4.

H. H. Jacquith, Lot 4, Block 4.

JENKIN'S ADD.

J. A. Anvil, Lots 14 and 15, Block 4.

SHICKER'S ADD.

A. Gramow, Lot 8.

S. D. SMITH'S ADD.

Jennie Gould, Lots 9 and 10.

WILLOW GRANGE ADD.

Wm. Lathers, Lots 34 and 35 and W½ 36.

LUCKY ADD.

Hattie V. Walker, Lot 108.

SPRING BROOK ADD.

G. R. Feathers on Lot 154.

J. H. Burns, Lot 205.

FOURTH WARD.

Farming Lands.

S T R

S. Knight, in NW¼, SE¼, 2 2 12.

Being 204 rods, E and W, E of and adj. Coppin.

SMITH, BAILEY & STONE'S ADD.

Herman Arno, Lot 68.

DOES ADD.

M. C. Haviland, Pt. Lot 37, lying W of and adj. Park ave., E. of and adj. Holington.

ROCKPORT.

Mary A. Delaney, N½, S2-S4, Unimp., Lot W of Lot 4, Block 1.

FRANK BRITT, Lot 3, Block 11.

RAILROAD ADD.

Pat. Delaney, 3 and (Ex. S. 21 feet) Lot 4, Block 2.

M. Delaney, Lot 1, Block 5.

Jas. Sweeney, Lot 12, Block 5.

S. Strauss, Lot 5, Block 7.

RIVERSIDE ADD.

F. C. Barker, Lot 20.

C. Jorgenson, Lot 23.

FIFTH WARD.

PALMER & SUTHERLAND'S ADD.

H. J. Bennett, Lot 4, Block 13.

MILMOORE'S ADD.

J. J. Edwards, Lot 105.

John Bray, Lot 109.

A. M. Church, Lot 121 and 44½ ft. S. of same.

SMITH'S ADD.

J. Welsend, Lot 1, Block 1.

V. V. Hoyie, Lot 6, Block 7.

Florence O'Leary, S½ of Lot 21, Block 7.

J. Gibbons, Lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 12.

P. Sweeney, Lot 7, Block 17.

Chas. Ruege, Lot 4, Block 20.

M. Doughty, Lots 2, 3 and 4, Block 44.

MITCHELL'S SECOND ADD.

M. Clark, Lot 62.

MITCHELL'S THIRD ADD.

J. Driscoll, Lot 93.

MITCHELL'S SUB., Lot 16.

R. C. Bolew, N. 25 ft. W½ of Lots 6 and 10.

A. M. Church, N½, Lot 16.

MITCHELL'S SECOND, SUB. 16.

H. M. Joyce, Lots 33 and 34.

E. A. Richardson, Lot 27.

TAXES 1899.

SMITH AN. & RAILLEY'S ADD.

F. L. Stevens, Lot 97.

For Over Fifty Years.

Mrs. Winslow's Sooty S. B. has been used for children while teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, relieves all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by druggists throughout the whole world.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

Reported by R. E. McGuire.
Flour—Retail at 85¢ @ \$1.30 per sack.
Wheat—Spring, 68¢; Winter 68¢ to 70¢.
Buckwheat—\$1.25 per 100 lbs.
Buckwheat Flour—\$4.00 per 100.
Rye—48¢ to 50¢ per bu.
Barley—Ranges at 35¢ to 50¢.
Corn—Shelled, 28¢ to 30¢ per bu.
Oats—Common to best, white, 20¢ to 25¢.
Clover Seed—\$3.00 to \$4.00 per 100.
Timothy Seed—\$3.50 to \$4.25 per 100 lbs.
Meal—28¢ to 30¢ per 100.
Feed—15¢ per ton to 30¢ to 100.
Beans—Retail at 80¢ to 100 lbs., \$15.00 per ton.
Middlings—80¢ per 100 lbs., \$15.00 per ton.
Hay—Timothy, \$10.00 to \$12.00; other kinds \$7.00 to \$10.00 per ton.
Saw—\$7.00 per ton.
Potatoes—20¢ to 25¢ per bushel.
Butter—17¢ to 18¢.
Eggs—10¢ to 12¢ per dozen for strictly fresh.
Poultry—Turkeys, 9¢ to 10¢; chickens, 6¢ to 8¢.
Wool—Washed, 21¢ to 23¢; unwashed, 15¢ to 20¢.
Hides—Green, 35¢ to 40¢.
Fats—Quotable at 10¢ to 12¢.
Cattle—\$1.50 to \$2.00 per 100 lbs.
Hogs—\$4.25 to \$4.75.
Lamb—40¢ to 45¢.

Home-seekers' Excursions via C. M. & St. Paul R'y.

On January 15, February 5 and 19, March 5 and 19; April 2 and 16; May 7 and 21; and June 4 and 18, good for 21 days, to points west, south and southwest; at one fare plus \$2 for the round trip. Further particulars at passenger depot.

Very Low One-Way Rates via C. M. & St. P. R'y.

On February 12, 19 and 26; March 5, 12, 19 and 26; and April 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, to points west and northwest, and rates and territory call at passenger depot.

Take Rocky Mountain Tea. See it exterminates poison. Feel it revitalize your blood and nerves and bring back that happy, joyous feeling of boyhood days. 35c. Sold at Smith's pharmacy, kodak agents, next to postoffice.

Very Low One Way Rates Via C. M. & St. P. R. R.

On every Tuesday from Feb. 12 to Apr. 30, both included, to points west and northwest, including San Francisco, Los Angeles, Cal.; Butte, Helena, Mont.; Ogden and Salt Lake City Utah. Full particulars at passenger depot.

Half Rates to St. Paul, Minn., Via C. M. & St. P. R. R.

On Feb. 18 and 19 good to return until Feb. 25 at one fare for the round trip, account annual convention National Creamery Butter Makers' ass'n.

Roosters often crow over eggs they did not lay. Same with people who sell an imitation Rocky Mountain Tea, made famous by the Madison Medicine Co's advertising. 35c. Sold at Smith's pharmacy, kodak agents, next to postoffice.

99 to St. Paul, Minn., and Return.

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold February 18 and 19, limited to return until February 25, inclusive, on account of Annual Convention, National Creamery Buttermakers' Association. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Excursion Rates to the Mardi Gras and Winter Resorts.

Via the Northwestern line. On account of the Mardi Gras at New Orleans and Mobile; excursion tickets will be sold February 11 to 17, inclusive, at very low rates, limited for return passage until March 7. Excursion tickets are also on sale daily, at reduced rates, to the principal winter resorts in the United States and Mexico. For full information apply to ticket agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

\$21.15 to Presidential Inaugural at Washington, D. C. and Return.

Via the Northwestern line. Excursion tickets will be sold February 28, March 1 and 2, but not for trains arriving Chicago before March 1, limited for return to leave Washington until March 8, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

Home-seekers' Excursions via C. & N. W. R'y Jan. 15, Feb. 5 and 19, March 5 and 19, April 2 and 16, May 7 and 21, June 4 and 18.

On above dates the C. & N. W. R'y will sell round trip excursion tickets to points west, south and southwest, including Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, at one fare plus \$2 for round trip, limit 21 days. For further information see ticket agent C. & N. W. passenger depot. Telephone 35.

Franchise Tax is Held Legal.

Lausling, Mich., Feb. 13.—The franchises of corporations, where they are associated inseparably with tangible property, are taxable under the laws of Michigan. This is the decision of the Michigan Supreme court just rendered, and it has created a sensation in the larger cities of the state, where the application of the principle laid down will make great changes in the assessment of street railway and similar corporate property. The court holds that franchises are property, but that they must not be assessed specifically and independent of other property.

Shoe's Her Former Husband.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 13.—Mrs. Etta Seeley tonight shot and wounded her former husband, W. A. Seeley, chief buyer for Swift's Packing company, at his residence in this city. The wound is not serious.

Indiana Murderer to Hang.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 13.—Joseph D. Kech, convicted at Princeton, Ind., of the murder of Nora D. Kech, has been sentenced to hang May 24, at Indiana prison, Michigan City.

King George on Way Home.

London, Feb. 13.—King George of Greece, started homeward at 11 o'clock. King Edward, the Duke of Cornwall and York, Prince Charles of Denmark and the members of the Greek legation in London accompanied him to the Victoria station, where a guard of honor was in attendance. The route from Buckingham palace to the station was lined with cheering crowds. After the King of Greece had bidden farewell to the others he and King Edward entered a saloon carriage and each embraced, kissing each other on both cheeks. The train started in the midst of the rendering of the Greek anthem and hearty cheering. The indefinite postponement of all west end hotel dinners, has proved most disastrous to London waiters, more than 5,000 of whom are out of employment.

Miners in Fatal Fight.

Athens, O., Feb. 13.—In a bloody fight at Hollister, a mining village near here, Albert Stitzer shot and killed Mike Johnkac and Joe Fobish. In the struggle Stitzer was feebly cut, but he will recover. He is under arrest. The trouble started about a woman with whom all three had relations. All are Hungarian miners. Stitzer was attacked by the other two, with knives, when he drew a revolver and killed both of them.

Columbian Minister Comes.

New York, Feb. 13.—Among the passengers who arrived on board the steamer Allegheny from Savannah was Carlos Martinez Silva, minister of the United States of Colombia at Washington. He is accompanied by his secretary, Thomas Herran, and his son, Hernando Martinez, and Thomas Herran, Jr. The minister and his party will stop in New York a few days before proceeding to Washington.

Jail Breakers in a Cave.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 13.—Chief of Police Tyres and a posse left here yesterday on a special train for a cave in the mountains, sixteen miles from here, in which it is said the prisoners who escaped from the Huntington jail this week are camped. All the prisoners are heavily armed and a fierce battle is looked for should the posse find them.

Earthquake in Spain.

Malaga, Feb. 13.—There was an earthquake shock today at Grazalema, forty miles from Cadiz. It was accompanied by loud rumblings. The inhabitants were panic stricken and many buildings were damaged.

Big Fire at Decatur, Ill.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 13.—Fire destroyed the wholesale grocery of the Mueller, Platt & Wheland company. It is thought the loss will amount to nearly \$100,000; insurance unknown.

Tragedy in Milwaukee.

Milwaukee, Feb. 13.—Charles Poi, living at 527 Barclay street, killed his wife with a butcher knife, following up the deed by committing suicide. Poi was a laborer at the works of the Illinois steel company.

Asks Rations for Troops.

Hongkong, Feb. 13.—One of the generals at Tientsin has asked the authorities here to prepare sea rations for 30,000 troops in April. This is supposed to indicate a return of the Indian expedition.

Nasal Catarrh quickly yields to treatment by Ely's Cream Balm, which is agreeably aromatic. It is received through the nostrils, cleanses and heals the whole surface over which it diffuses itself. Druggists sell the 50c. size; Trial size by mail, 10 cents. Test it and you are sure to continue the treatment.

Announcement.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation.

DOINGS OF THE LAW MAKERS.

ILLINOIS.

Tuesday, February 12.

An apportionment of Cook and Lake counties into ten congressional districts, three of them Democratic and seven Republican, was agreed on by the sub-committee of the Republican county committee at Chicago, which has had the matter in charge. The plan was pronounced satisfactory to all the various interests involved and none of the present congressmen is likely to find fault with it. The plan, however, has one difficulty, which will arouse opposition in Springfield among the members of the legislature from outside Cook county. That trouble is that it demands ten districts for Cook and Lake counties without including WILL. The plan on which the legislative sub-committee on apportionment has been working is to join Cook, Will and Lake counties and give them ten districts among them. The county members say Chicago must take care of Will county or be contented with nine districts, while the committee here asks for ten districts independent of Will. The latter county seems to be a political orphan just now, neither the city nor the country wanting it.

INDIANA.

Tuesday, February 12.

The two houses of the Indiana general assembly devoted much time to eulogies of Abraham Lincoln. Neither house adjourned in honor of the anniversary of his birth. In the senate the Democrats charged the Republicans, who are in the majority, with lack of reverence for his memory, shown by the Democrats declared, by the refusal of the Republicans to adjourn for the afternoon. The discussion grew into a bitter argument on party lines, which had to be quelled by the chair.

The most important act of the two houses was the passage of a bill by the senate authorizing the consolidation of railroads where they are not parallel or connecting lines. It is regarded as a railroad corporation measure, and there has been much opposition to it. The house advanced Representative Reese's bill repealing the Barrett law.

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Wisconsin Weather Forecast.

Fair tonight; Thursday, rising temperature.

PRACTICAL PROHIBITION.

The disturbances just now going on in Kansas, suggest an object lesson that temperance reformers would do well to study and heed, and that is that public sentiment is necessary to the enforcement of law. It is claimed that public sentiment is behind the hatchet brigade. That is true to a certain extent, and in just so far as it is true, just to that extent does Kansas suffer from another species of lawlessness, as the result of crank legislation. The prohibition laws of Kansas are a farce, and if every saloon in the state is demolished, they will continue to be a farce simply because they are accomplished by force what could be more thoroughly accomplished by peaceable methods with common sense laws.

What the state of Kansas needs is a high license and local option law. With a license of \$1,000, the same as Nebraska, the low doggeries would be compelled to quit, and the men remaining in business would be law abiding.

The Carrie Nation raiders visited the town of Holton a few days ago, where seven saloons were running in violation of law. Two of them were in charge of women, and these were dismantled without mercy. The other five were given time to pack up and leave the town. This is prohibition sentiment enforced, but if Kansas was working under the high license law, the town of Holton would have had no saloons, because the same sentiment that crystallized in a mob, would have refused to grant a license, and law would not have been violated, either by saloon keepers or saloon smashers.

The state of Wisconsin has better temperance laws than Kansas, because of the local option feature. Any town in the state may vote out the saloon by not granting license, and wherever the temperance sentiment is strong enough to enforce this law, this is done. Evansville, Clinton and many other towns in the state are prohibition towns.

Kansas, working under a similar law, but with higher license, would not be troubled with saloons in the smaller towns, and if the temperance sentiment was strong enough in the cities, they would also be deprived of license.

The city of Topeka has just succeeded in closing sixty saloons, by threats of violence, but the appetite of Topeka is still there, and in less than a week, there will be no trouble for any one who wants a drink to find it in the capital city. The man who has an appetite for drink will find it in Kansas or any other state, and the young man who is unconsciously cultivating the appetite by congenial associations and surroundings more free and inviting than anything else in the city, will take a little more interest in finding the drink and the associations, because of the obstacles interposed.

If Topeka will follow up her hatchet reform by putting in the place of the sixty saloons, twenty resorts for young men, as well furnished and as attractive and free as the saloon, with intoxicants left out, not attempting to make them either religious or intellectual—places where young men can find congenial companions and spend an evening in innocent amusement including light refreshments and soft drinks, she will accomplish something in the way of permanent reform.

There are thousands of young men all over the land, who, from force of circumstances, as well as from force of habit, seldom spend an evening at home. The saloon monopolizes them because it is the most attractive, as well as the most welcome place on the street. The Y. M. C. A. captures a few of these boys, but the great mass seek resorts where they can smoke and play games which in themselves are innocent if properly environed.

Some large hearted, liberal minded philanthropic millionaire will some day come down to the level of this large class of young men, and rob the attractive saloon of many of its victims, by competing for the young men in resorts equally attractive, but with the whiskey left out. The field is yet unoccupied but it is ripe for the harvest.

When this leavening process begins and young men are lifted a notch higher by practical methods, the Y. M. C. A. and the churches will reap a harvest of abundance.

All Christian work is good, but the man who gets the closest to humanity

—not the ideal, but the real—and lifts, is the most intelligent worker.

COMMERCIAL EDUCATION.

Superintendent Cooley, of the Chicago schools, has gone east on a tour of investigation that may result in profit to Chicago. He will visit Philadelphia and New York, and examine the commercial high school system of those cities, with a view to introducing a similar system in Chicago. Progressive school men are waking up to the fact that a very large majority of boys leave school for active life before they are eighteen years of age. They possess a smattering of impractical knowledge, and if they enter commercial life, as many of them do, some patient book-keeper or proprietor is obliged to teach them penmanship, composition, and practical mathematics, which the school has failed to supply.

The school system of the country at large needs a commodious annex where the great mass of young people who, through choice or necessity, graduate young, into the university of life, may be awarded a diploma that shall be a passport to practical accomplishments. It would read something like this:

"John writes a good business hand. He composes a good business letter."

"He uses good grammar and punctuation. He knows how to spell correctly. He is quick and accurate in figures."

If you want to make it short and comprehensive, just say:

"John knows how to write and cipher," and if the diploma tells the truth John stands some chance of getting somewhere by the time he is twenty-five.

The world is full of men attempting to do business on an education that had no foundation of a practical sort. It is one of the causes of business failures. Men who can't write a legible hand, compose an intelligent letter or render a mathematical conclusion correctly.

Chicago will do well to establish a practical commercial course, and every other school in the land will do equally well to follow her example.

Higher education is very commendable, and all right for the boy or girl who possesses the time and ability to acquire it. But practical education is just as commendable, and equally important, because it deals with the masses.

The school that turns this large class of young people into life handicapped because of neglect, or because of admiration for a theoretical hobby, commits a crime against the boy or girl, from the effects of which they never recover.

There is no penalty for this sort of crime, but the court of public opinion is coming to condemn it, and a broader intelligence will remedy the evil.

The world is intensely practical. The school, which is the world's nursery, should be just as practical.

Congressman Babcock has gained a little notoriety by introducing a bill at the last moment, on tariff reform. The bill is said to be aimed at the steel combine, and contemplates putting on the free list a large class of material used by the steel manufacturers. It is safe to say that it will never get beyond the committee at this session. The country is not suffering for tariff revisions.

Viscount Cross will doubtless be able to manage Victoria's estate satisfactorily as he has twenty-one letters of rank after his name, besides his letters of administration.

Two blizzards in a week must make Chicago streets more presentable to sightseers than during the warmer weather.

Railroad passes are not accepted any more as genuine unless J. Pierpont Morgan's name is signed.

Bric-a-brac collectors are making a specialty of Castellane pieces and Chinese loot.

Chicago society is planning a circus; the usual arrangements will be adhered to.

Governor Nash has a strong claim on the championship.

The house of commons is the most difficult part of the canal route.

"Not available," is being writ large across Minister Wu's credentials.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet Feb. 14 at three o'clock in the church parlors. Subject for the afternoon, Cause and Object of the Anti-Foreign Uprising in China. A cordial welcome for all.

The Meaning of Bonanza. Bonanza is Spanish and means fair weather at sea, prosperity; when applied to mining, a sudden and extraordinary widening of a paying vein. Hence any successful enterprise, particularly applied by Americans to mining.

MRS. CARRIE NATION
MAY LECTURE HERE

Telegram Sent to the Kansas Saloon Smasher This Afternoon.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, she of the saloon smashing fame, may visit Janesville this week. She has been invited to deliver a lecture here next Saturday night. Mrs. Nation lectured in Chicago this afternoon and via Western Union the following telegram was sent from Janesville:

"Mrs. Carrie Nation, Chicago, Ill., Care of Willard Hall.

"Would you lecture here next Saturday night. Guarantee you \$100 and expenses. Population 14,000. Fifty saloons. We need you. Telegraph 11."

At four o'clock no reply had been received. In case Mrs. Nation agrees to come the lecture will take place in the rink. There 3,000 people could be accommodated and it is needless to state that the seating capacity of the city's largest auditorium would be taxed to the utmost.

Funeral of James R. Mole.

Funeral services of the late James R. Mole will be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the house, Rev. W. A. Hall of the Court Street M. E. church will officiate. Interment will be at Oak Hill.

Funeral of S. D. Peterson.

The funeral of the late S. D. Peterson was held from the home of his parents, Maple Court, at 9:45 o'clock this morning. A large number of his friends gathered at this time to pay their last respects to the deceased. Many beautiful floral offerings were made by relatives and friends. Rev. R. C. Denison conducted the funeral services. The body was taken to Lodi for interment at 11:20 o'clock.

Apples Called to Chicago.

Chief of Police Kiple of Chicago, yesterday telegraphed Marshal George M. Appleby of Beloit, to come to Chicago at his expense and give him his statement in regard to the "Bloomington Red" affair, an account of which was published in The Gazette last Friday. Marshal Appleby left last night for Chicago, ready to back up any statements he has made in the matter.

Indians Destitute in California.

Bishop Joseph H. Johnson recently made a ten days' journey through the Indian country in San Diego county, California, traveling 300 miles through a rocky, barren country, made more barren by three years of drought. He found nearly all the Indians in "a pitiable condition of destitution and misery." He thinks they might be helped by teaching them to make lace.

Don't Need a Salary.

Rev. George W. Unkle of Prospect Park, Pa., has preached there for fifty years and has always refused to accept pay for such service. Mr. Unkle has a little property and declares that having no need of a salary he should not accept it.

Piano
Buyers....

Will do well to consult us before they finally select on an instrument. We have the makes We also quote prices that mean a saving of considerable to you

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SHOES ? ? ?

Then we want to talk with you.

Buy Good Shoes for your Boy. Our boys shoes have earned for us a reputation second to none, and the only way to earn this reputation and to keep it, must be by selling boys shoes that are in keeping with the boys.

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Oil Grains—for extra hard wear..... \$1.00 to \$1.50
Satin Calf Shoes—for medium wear..... \$1.00 to \$1.75
Box Calf—for In dressing lasts..... \$1.25 to \$2.00
Vici Kid—for fine wear..... \$1.50 to \$2.00

You'll find us right on boys shoes. Why not buy your next pair from us? We guarantee every pair.

AMOS REHBERG & CO.

Red Front.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 13, 1901.

Receipts of cattle, 21,000
Beefsteers..... \$5.00 @ \$6.00
Stockers..... 2.70 @ 3.75
Hogs..... 3.70 @ 4.00
Hog Receipts—Hogs 45,000.
Light..... 5.20 @ 5.37 1/2
Mixed..... 5.20 @ 5.35
Heavy..... 5.30 @ 5.42 1/2
Pigs..... 4.85 @ 5.20
Receipts of Sheep 17,000.
Natives..... 2.50 @ 4.50
Western..... 3.25 @ 4.40
Lambs..... 4.00 @ 5.35

Wheat—May..... 73 1/2 @ 75
Corn—May..... 33 1/2 @ 35
Oats—May..... 23 1/2 @ 25 1/2
Barley..... 38 @ 50

WANT COLUMN

Three Lines, Three Times for 25 Cents.

WANTED—Men and ladies for high salaried positions; easy work; 5 to 8 p. m. Park Hotel. Ask for E. Green.

LESSONS on the guitar, mandolin and banjo. Large club practice once a week. Instruments loaned. Miss Stella Lyle, 156 Court Ave.

FOR RENT—W. T. Kleg residence, 200 Prospect avenue. Enquire 202 Prospect avenue.

WANTED—A girl between 14 and 18 years, to go to school and help work for her board, in family of two. Must be healthy, cleanly and industrious. Address Mrs. J. M. M., Court St. Flats.

WANTED—By lady and gentleman, furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Rent reasonable. Address F. P. Gazette.

"VICTORIA Queen and Empress." A complete biography and history of her time. Four years in preparation. Agents wanted, extra terms; freight paid; credit given. Outfit now ready; sent free. A great opportunity. Write today. Ziegler Co., 521 Monaca Building, Chicago.

WANTED—A one or two horse iron power. State price. Address S., Gazette.

WANTED—Agents, either sex, to sell the Butler potato drainer. Address E. F. Butler & Co., Whitewater, Wis.

WOOD—Second growth dry oak, \$5 per cord; delivered C. O. D. Order at Lowell Hardware Co., or address F. S. Woodruff.

WANTED—IRON MOLDERS. 25 LIGHT green sand molders, 35 heavy green sand molders, 20 dry sand molders, 30 loam molders. Write in person or by letter to Fraser & Chalmers, Foundry, West 12th St. and Washington Ave., Chicago. Steady work to competent men. All Union Iron Molder's attention is directed to the following letter from President Fox, of the Iron Molders' Union of North America:

Office of the
IRON MOLDERS' UNION OF NORTH AMERICA

Chicago, January 31, 1901.
Messrs. FRASER & CHALMERS, Chicago, Ill.
Gentlemen:—The action of the molders, declaring a strike in your foundry, is an assumption of authority which has no official recognition from the IRON MOLDERS' UNION of North America, or Local Union No. 283 of Chicago, Ill., of which they are members. Said action was illegal and a violation of our rules and laws, and the members of the IRON MOLDERS' UNION are authorized to accept employment in your foundry pending investigation of the alleged grievances and decision of Conference Committee, as provided in the New York Arbitration. Local members of our union who go to work will guarantee the fullest recognition and support of our organization. Respectfully yours,
MARTIN FOX, President.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Dairy farm of 35 acres field and 40 acres meadow, and ample pasture for 60 head of cattle. Inquire at 751 Prospect avenue.

FOR RENT—House with five rooms; with well and cistern. 151 Locust street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Wood cutter at a bargain. S. Trulson, 131 Washington street.

FOR SALE—Former residence of Mrs. Jane McLaughlin, 25 Milwaukee avenue. Inquire of Wm. McLaughlin, No. 6 Milton avenue.

FOR SALE OR RENT—The residence of H. C. Stearns, 124 Washington street. Address H. C. Stearns, Shullsburg, Wis.

FOR SALE—Farm of 42 acres known as the Patterson farm, 1/2 mile south of Institute for Blind, Address Louis Hemmens, at Back's clothing store.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LOST—Pair eye glasses in Cook's case, Finder please leave them at F. C. Cook's store.

LOST—Small pocketbook containing about \$5.50 in currency, in or near postoffice, on Monday afternoon. Finder leave at Gazette office and get reward.

HARNESS, HORSE

COLLARS.....

Lots to select from in all styles at prices that are sure to please. Repairing promptly done.

Black Harness Oil, per gal. - - - 50c
" " " extra quality, 75c
Puke Neatsfoot, extra quality, gal. 75c

SELKIRK'S 6 North Main St.

H E L L O

See You At The PALACE RINK.

Mask Carnival

..To-Morrow Night..

Whole town will be there. Fun galore. Imperial band. Grand time. Skating till midnight. Last week of rink.

RIDER'S RACKET STORE.

MASKS

—AND—

Valentine S

A big variety and very CHEAP in prices.

163 W. MILWAUKEE STREET.

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Chestnut

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is in great demand

No better Coal Mined

than our chestnut coal. We are daily supplying many business houses and private homes.

BADGER COAL CO.,

'Phone 636.

Low Rates to New Orleans and Mobile via C. M. & St. P. R'y.

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A GREAT

Wrapper
Purchase....

..Fleeced back Garments..

Twenty dozen have just been received from a manufacturer noted for making wrappers that fit. They comprise the most desirable of colorings, such as blue and white, black and white, red and black and dark fancies; sizes are 32 to 46 and they are such wrappers as retail regularly from \$1.5

SUTTER BROS. WILL CLOSE WAREHOUSES

CAN DO NOTHING WITH THE 1900 TOBACCO CROP.

They Say That It Has Been Damaged So That It Will Not Pay to Handle It — The Firm is Now Repudiating All Its Contracts with the Growers.

Sutter Bros. of Chicago the wholesale dealers and packers of leaf tobacco, who during the last four years have handled more leaf tobacco than any other firm in the United States, have stopped handling the 1900 Wisconsin crop and will close their warehouses in this state at once.

F. J. Coleman of Madison, state agent for Sutter Bros., is authority for the statement that all warehouses operated by Sutter Bros. in this state would be closed and that they would refuse to receive any more tobacco of the 1900 crop. They are repudiating all contracts made for the 1900 crop on the ground that it is all damaged to such an extent that it cannot be safely handled.

Sutter Bros. have what is called a forced curing plant at Cambridge, Wis., where a number of the crops of the 1900 tobacco were subjected to the process and when taken out showed that they would not stand the re-sweat. For this reason they have decided not to accept any more of the crops contracted for.

At their warehouse at Soldiers' Grove one day last week fourteen crops were delivered and all were refused with the exception of one and that was taken at a large discount.

Sutter Bros. operate four warehouses in this state located in the following places: Janesville, Madison, Cambridge and Soldiers' Grove.

During the last five years they have handled more tobacco than any other firm in the United States, and this move on their part naturally causes consternation on the part of the other buyers and packers of Wisconsin tobacco. A number of them are preparing to follow in the footsteps of Sutter Bros., and refuse to receive any more of the 1900 crop.

Dealers say that the damage to some crops from pole rot, rust and other causes will run as high as sixty per cent of a crop and they cannot afford to take any chances in handling the goods.

Many of the packers while admitting that they are afraid of the crop in which there is such a large amount of damaged tobacco say that the test given the tobacco by the forced curing works at Cambridge by the Sutters is not a fair test and that tobacco that has hung longer in the shed and has been given a chance to cure naturally will cure out all right.

Fear has been expressed by the packers right along that the tobacco would not stand the re-sweat and the more they see of it the more firmly they are convinced of the fact. There are however many good crops where exceptional care has been taken in the cultivation and handling, which come out all right, but the large majority of them are in very bad shape and the dealers will refuse to have anything to do with them.

This move on the part of Sutter Bros. has far reaching results and may interfere materially with the sale of the crop all over the state. In case this happens a short packing season will be the result and a large number of hands will be thrown out of employment.

A number of dealers from outside towns that have been buying in this vicinity have called in their men and will wait until they are thoroughly satisfied as to how the crop is going to go through the sweat before buying or receiving any more tobacco from the farmers.

MINE PRODUCES VALUABLE MINERAL

Good Property in the State of Washington in Which Some Local Parties Are Interested.

Several Janesville people are interested in a mine out in the state of Washington which is one of the very few of this kind in the world. Molybdenite is the mineral which this mine produces and its great value in connection with the manufacture of steel and armor plate has made it a much sought after article. At present it is selling at \$500 per ton. This mine also produces copper, gold and silver in quantities and a great many crystals of fine quality which have the appearance and much of the hardness of real diamonds. Many investments have been made in mines and mining property by local parties but few of them have ever realized on their investments. This new mine declared a dividend recently and consequently these investors feel elated.

The Leoni band of the Congregational church held its regular meeting and supper last evening. Miss Hattie Benedict, a returned missionary, was present and gave an interesting talk on her labors in the mission fields of the far east.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Brag soap. C. D. Stevens.
Tangerines. C. D. Stevens.
Shredded wheat biscuit. Stevens.
Valentines at Skelly's.
Valentines, Skelly's bookstore.
Corner Stone flour 98 cents per sack.
Richter Bros.

Get ready for the carnival on skates tomorrow night.

Pure comb honey 18 cents per pound.
Richter Bros.

Good music by Imperial band at the masquerade tomorrow night.

Fine dairy butter, the kind that is hard to get. Fletcher Bros.

Honey brand California figs. One-pound package 5 cents. Richter's.

Send in your order for potatoes at 40 cents per bushel. Fletcher Bros.

There will be a regular meeting of Crystal Camp No. 132 I. N. of A. this evening.

We are showing an extra fine line of fancy silks for waists. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Burt Richardson and Miss Kittie A. Anderson were married Monday at Rockford, Ill.

17 pounds granulated sugar \$1
12 pounds best oatmeal 25 cents.

NOVIAN BROS., Phone 172.

Attend our February sale of all winter goods and save money. T. P. Burns.

Baldwin, Seek No Further and Ben Davis apples, 30 cents a peck. Fletcher Bros.

We have a limited number of cutters that will be sold at a big reduction to close out the stock. Janesville Carriage Works.

W. R. C. ladies will serve another of their popular suppers at G. A. R. hall on Saturday evening, Feb. 16, from 5 to 8 o'clock. Price, 15 cents.

In Taffeta silks we carry the very best quality. We have every color and shade. Black Taffeta silks from 75 cents to \$1.50. Bort, Bailey & Co.

The Pianist club held a pleasant meeting yesterday afternoon with Mrs. John Fuller Sweeney. The program was exceptionally fine and the pieces well rendered.

Manager P. L. Myers has already a large list of fine attractions booked for next season, and the balance of this year will see many good things at the Myers Grand.

Invitations are out for the annual Rebekah masquerade, which will be held at Assembly hall, Friday evening, Feb. 22nd. Odd Fellows and their families do not need invitations. Smith's orchestra will furnish the music.

The big Concordia masquerade for next Monday evening is to be a hummer. Everybody is arranging to be there and costumes will be on exhibition for rental at the hall next Sunday.

Cards have been issued for a complimentary reading recital by Miss Fannie O. Rumlill at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium on Friday evening of this week. The reading will begin at 8 o'clock.

A dancing party will be given tomorrow evening in the Christ church parish house under the auspices of the Ladies' Afternoon Whist club. The music will be furnished by the orchestra of the School for the Blind.

The Anxious Sixteen Club met last night at the home of Mrs. George Hans on Oakland avenue, and spent an enjoyable evening playing cards. The first prize fell to Mrs. Lou Woodworth, while Mrs. Chris Brill secured the booty.

Wilson Lane yesterday sold to Nicholas Attenuus of Stoughton, fifty-six head of black polled Angus 2-year-olds at an average price of \$40 per head. The cattle were shipped to Chase county, Kansas, where Charley and Edward Attenuus are conducting a large stock farm.

A letter received recently from Mrs. Tallmadge Brown, better known as Nellie Baker, is to the effect that she is making her home in St. Louis, where her little daughter is at school. Mrs. Brown is giving dramatic readings and is meeting with considerable success.

The rummage industry is doing a thorough business these days. Yesterday the Richardson shoe store was opened to receive goods which the Court Street M. E. church ladies were offering for sale, and before the fire was started, customers were on hand calling for men's clothing, children's shoes, and household utensils.

The local lodge of Elks held a pleasant and interesting session at their lodge room last evening. Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Mills was present and also about twenty visiting members from Chicago, Madison and Milwaukee. There was a large turnout of local members, which made a good impression on the visitors. Excellent music was furnished by De Bois' orchestra of Milwaukee. During the evening a banquet was served and enjoyed by all present.

The Concordia masquerade will be the big event of the season in the way of masquerades. There are already a number of excellent suits under construction for prizes, and more will follow every day. Johnny Smith's orchestra will play.

Not an everyday opportunity—Rare indeed the chance to buy an excellent silk waist for \$3.85. You should see the beautiful assortment of silk waists that we offer at \$3.85. Be quick.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

Ladies' stylish cloaks worth \$5 for \$1.67; ladies' stylish cloaks worth \$7.50 for \$2.50; ladies' stylish cloaks worth \$10.50 for \$3.50; ladies' stylish cloaks worth \$12.00 for \$4.00, at our special sale of winter goods. T. P. Burns.

STATE UNIVERSITY FULLY DISCUSSED

SYMPOSIUM HELD LAST EVENING BY TWILIGHT CLUB.

An Especially Good Talk Made by Dear Birge on General Status of the Institution—Athletic Features Stoutly Upheld—Interesting Historical Record—Other Points.

The Twilight Club discussed the university of Wisconsin in its most important features last evening after the usual preliminary feast which was up to the customary high standard. Judge Fifield acted as leader.

The first speaker was George G. Sutherland who gave the history of the institution going back to 1787 when the territory of the northwest was marked off as having separate existence. The university was really founded at Belmont in 1836 by the first legislative body of the territory. At its second session at Burlington, Ia., a bill was passed establishing the university of Wisconsin at Madison.

Immediately after Wisconsin became a state the institution was incorporated and then consisted of four departments and was attended by twenty students. Mr. Sutherland contrasted its status then and now with its 2,800 students, 196 professors and an income of \$400,000.

To Prof. Brace the teacher of manual training at the high school had been assigned the subject of the College of Mechanics and Engineering. Prof. Brace's talk was a strong argument in favor of this class of work as developing synchronously the best alike of mind and body. In itself it is of great value and as preliminary to other work, as for instance surgery, it would be difficult to overestimate its importance.

F. F. Lewis gave a pleasant talk of his own personal experiences on the farm where he learned to make a few simple tools which formed the substructure of a later education in mechanics.

Dr. Q. O. Sutherland spoke in defense of college athletics as developing the body, giving vigor to the mind, teaching control of temper and quickness of eye and hand. Athletic training in moderation did not detract from but added to mental activity and produced symmetry of development which should be the aim of all education.

Volunteers against athletics, were called for but none responded. In connection with the theme Stanley B. Smith called to mind the fact that during the Y. M. C. A. convention thirty students attended and 1,000 skipped this city and the convention and went on to Chicago to attend a football game.

R. J. Sarasy looked after the interests of the small college which he said furnished a good general education, sufficient for the average American citizen. If special training in some particular line was needed the university was within ready call.

Mr. Sarasy's position was attacked by W. O. Goodhouse who maintained that the university gave better results at no additional cost. His strongest argument against the small colleges was that they are commonly sectarian.

Judge Dunwiddie pronounced a glowing eulogy on the state institution as turning out a class of men and women of which we can all feel proud. Of the class that graduated with him ten are now holding judge-ships.

In the absence of Ogden H. Fethers, Dean E. A. Birge gave a resume of the institution drawn from observation and experience during his twenty-five years connection with it. During this time the enrollment had increased ten fold and the income had kept pace with it. He called attention to the engineering and agricultural departments and said that it was difficult to hold graduates long enough to obtain their degrees so great was the demand for their services.

Brief talks against A. R. Hall's bill now before the legislature were made by Messrs. Holmes of the Blodgett Milling Co., Craig of the Janesville Machine Co., and Howe of the Rock River Cotton Co. and as a result A. E. Matheson was appointed a committee of one to confer with the senator and assemblymen from this district and urge their concerted hostility.

The subject of the next session will be science under the leadership of Supt. D. D. Mayne.

Christ Church Cadets.

A number of young men assembled at Christ Church parish house last evening to consider the reorganization of the Cadets. The boys were very much interested, and are anxious to start up again.

The Rev. Mr. Barrington told them that much would be expected of them and that the company and its interests should be first with them. He read to them certain stringent regulations, and asked them to think over the matter before signing. The paper will be left with Captain Koebelin for signatures and the company will not be organized until at least forty have signed the paper.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

F. H. Snyder spent yesterday in Chicago.

Richard Valentine left this morning for Madison.

Will A. Hordley of Beloit, was in the city yesterday.

Ralph Sarasy went to Chicago this morning on business.

Miss Nellie Hubbard is reported ill at her home on Center street.

Geo. P. Brigham of Sharon, had business in this city yesterday.

B. F. Martin of Fulton, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. O. D. Stevens is recovering from a week's attack of the grip.

Amos Rebbert is home from a business and pleasure trip to Chicago.

T. E. Tollefsrud of Orfordville, was a business caller in this city yesterday.

Tomorrow, Feb. 14, is St. Valentine's day. The mail carriers will be busy.

Harry Brown and O. D. Lincoln are home from a business trip to Chicago.

Mrs. J. P. Baker left this morning for a week's visit with relatives and friends in Chicago.

H. W. Child of Edgerton, attended the meeting of the Twilight club last evening.

Judge C. L. Fifield is attending the meeting of the Wisconsin Bar association at Madison.

Judge B. F. Dunwiddie is attending a meeting of the Wisconsin Bar Association at Madison.

Dr. H. B. Anderson of Orfordville, was in the city yesterday and today on professional business.

T. J. Zeigler and wife left for their home in Chicago today, after a week's visit in this city.

Mrs. J. B. Day, who has been quite ill with grip, is able to sit up, but is not yet able to leave the house.

William and Frank McIntosh of Edgerton, were in the city yesterday, visiting their brother, A. McIntosh.

P. C. Eldredge, division superintendent of the C. M. & St. P. Ry. was in the city today.

W. W. Winton, district passenger agent of the C. M. & St. P. Ry. was in the city today and yesterday.

Ogden H. Fethers leaves tonight for Chicago, and from there he will go to Virginia, to seek relief from an attack of rheumatism.

POLO GAME AT PALACE RINK.

An Exciting Battle in Which East Sides Came Out Winners.

Those who attended the benefit polo game last evening at the Palace rink between the East Siders and the West Ends saw the best game of the season. The boys played a more scientific game and seemed to realize that more could be gained by passing the ball from one player to another than by trying to make long drives for a goal. Many good plays were made by both sides.

The game last night consisted of three fifteen minute thirds, the score at the finish being 5 to 3 in favor of the East Sides.

Davey made the first goal for the West Ends in thirty seven seconds. The second was made by George of the East Side in 14:17. Time was called.

In the second third the West Ends won the first goal Murphy caging the ball in 6:45. Blakely made a goal for the East Side in 3:10 and Schafer followed with a goal for the West in 1:31. George made another goal for the East Sides in 1:21, leaving the score a tie at the end of the second third.

In the last third Blakely made the first goal in 3:25 for the East Sides. George followed for another goal for the East Sides in 7:55. No more goals being secured before the call of time left the score 5 to 3 in favor of the East Sides.

NEWS IN BRIEF ABOUT TOWN.

Mammoth pineapples. Grubb.

Country sausage today. Grubb.

French breakfast radishes. Grubb.

Parley, green onions, rhubarb. Grubb.

Snow white cauliflower. Grubb.

A track has been scraped on the ice at the gas pond and the owners of fast horses are having lots of fun racing over the course.

There will be work at the regular meeting of the O. E. S. at Masonic hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock.

The supper at the Home Gathering of the Congregational church, which will take place tomorrow afternoon and evening, will be in the form of a banquet. Preparations are being made for 400.

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Mission Work Presented in All Its Aspects—Need of Greater Sociability and Fellowship Among Priests—Personal Experiences of Clergymen Present.

The Madison convocation which is in session at the parish house of Trinity church opened this morning with Holy Communion at 7:30. There was a prayer service at 9:30 and a business meeting at ten.

At 11 the Rev. Canon Richey of Milwaukee read a carefully prepared paper on the significance of the presence of a Greek bishop at an Anglican consecration. Canon Richey interpreted the act to signify a desire to express sympathy and fellowship in a non-committal way. The paper called forth considerable friendly discussion as to the difference existing between the Greek and Anglican churches. The consensus of opinion seemed to be that there were more points of agreement than of dissimilarity.

Rev. Octavius Edgelow of Platteville followed with a paper on the relation of missionaries to one another and their work. Mr. Edgelow has been doing missionary work for sixteen years and spoke from the height of long experience.

His plea was for greater sociability among Anglican clergymen in the same diocese. It is the common experience for men doing mission work to see months perhaps years go by without being visited by one of their fellow workers. The loneliness and feeling of isolation does much to cripple their best energies.

Each has perplexities of his own, but a stranger coming in and looking at these questions from an entirely impersonal standpoint was often able to easily solve problems which to the one on the spot appeared beyond solution. The paper concluded with an earnest appeal for greater unity in church work.

Quite an animated discussion ensued and as the most of the reverend gentlemen present had been at some time engaged in mission work they were in a position to speak authoritatively.

Rev. J. C. Lees of Evansville told of his experiences in Oxford, England under Bishop Wilberforce. It was there the custom to exchange visits frequently and to exchange pulpits as well and with the best results.

Personal experiences on similar topics were added by Rev. A. E. Gorton, Kilbourn; Rev. Arthur Pratt, Prairie du Chien; Rev. C. L. Barnes, Baraboo; Rev. Fayette Durkin, Madison and Rev. George Potter, Lancaster.

Rev. A. H. Barrington objected to the making of any distinction between the work in home or diocesan mission fields and the same service in the city churches. It was all the same kind and for the same purpose and while the burdens and the requirements were somewhat different they were not enough to separate them into two bodies—mission priests and city priests. They were God's priests in either case.

This brought the time to 12:30 when an appetizing lunch was served in the parish house. On the afternoon program were scheduled History of the Madison convocation by Rev. James Sidel and How to Prepare Extemporaneous sermons by the Rev. H. E. Chase.

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.. LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS..

DETAILS OF APPROPRIATIONS

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TOTAL COST OF THE ARMY.

Some Big Figures Given by Representative McClellan of New York.—The Cost Per Soldier \$3.80 Per Capita.—In German and French Armies It Is Less.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—Appropriations for purely military and naval objects for the next fiscal year will aggregate approximately \$365,000,000. This is leaving out of the calculation all deficiency appropriations of money to be expended during the present fiscal year, which will aggregate at least \$40,000,000 more and will bring the total appropriations for military and naval objects made by the present session of congress up to the enormous sum of \$405,000,000. The details of these extraordinary appropriations were presented to the house of representatives today in a speech made by Representative McClellan (N. Y.) on the army appropriation bill. This bill carries appropriations aggregating \$117,994,649. Mr. McClellan showed that by adding to this the appropriation for the military academy and the appropriations carried in the legislative, executive and judicial bill and the sundry civil bill, directly chargeable to the administration of the army, the total cost of the army proper during the next fiscal year, assuming that there will be no deficiency to be provided for, will be \$121,572,330. Adding to this the appropriation for fortifications, the total is brought up to \$128,799,761. This is the total cost of the present military establishment. The military budget, however, is increased by the enormous expenditures growing out of past wars, and Mr. McClellan showed that these expenditures, including pensions, the administration of the pension office, appropriations of soldiers' homes and all other items growing directly out of former wars, would aggregate \$154,052,094, bringing the total military budget for the next fiscal year exclusive of the navy, up to \$282,851,855. The cost of the navy during the next fiscal year, including the administration of the navy department, will be over \$180,000,000. Mr. McClellan pointed out that on the basis of an army of 100,000 men the cost per soldier exclusive of the cost of fortifications and the expenditures on account of former wars would be \$1.25 per year, or \$1.64 for each man, woman and child in the United States. The cost per soldier, including the appropriations for fortifications and for former wars, will be \$2.818, or \$3.80 per capita. In the German army the cost of each soldier is but \$2.27 per year, or \$2.59 per capita, and in the French army the cost of each soldier is \$2.32, or \$3.25 per capita.

Russia to Retaliate.
A tariff war is threatened between the United States and Russia. To exclude about 13,000,000 pounds of sugar, valued at \$340,000, annually imported from Russia, the secretary of the treasury has been importuned to exercise his authority under the Dingley tariff act and impose a countervailing duty upon Russian beet sugar on the ground that it enjoys a bounty.

Severe Bill Against Hazing.
Representative Dick's bill concerning hazing at the West Point military academy was adopted by the conferees of the two houses of congress on the military academy bill in lieu of the senate provision on the question of hazing. The eleventh section of the bill was stricken out entirely. The amendment requires that the superintendent of the academy shall suppress "challenge fighting and every form of hazing at the academy."

Oil Throver Ruins a Dress.
St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 13.—"Jack the Oil Throver" is making things miserable for women residing in the north end. Mrs. Victor B. Henckel is his latest victim. Her fine tailor-made skirt was ruined last evening by the sprinkling of grease which it received. The discovery that her dress had been smeared was not made until the miscreant had disappeared.

To Be Hanged at Duwamish.
Seattle, Wash., Feb. 13.—The steamer Dolphin has arrived from Alaska with news that George T. St. Cyr, a member of a well known Canadian family, has been found guilty at Dawson of the murder of H. Davis and has been sentenced to the gallows. An attempt will be made to secure a new trial. In case of failure an appeal will be taken.

Bishop Joyce Quits Ill.
Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—Bishop Joyce, church, Tuesday a very a. Ho neapoe. P. M. ysielan but not

Mrs. Platt passed a very comfortable day," he said, "and her physician says that he believes that there is considerable improvement in her condition."

Yellow Fever Appears.
Rio Janeiro, Brazil, Feb. 13.—Three cases of yellow fever have been discovered here.

Not Going to Greenwich.
Princeton, N. J., Feb. 13.—Mrs. Grover Cleveland being asked as to the truth of a report to the effect that Mr. Cleveland intends to move his home from Princeton to Greenwich, Conn., in the vicinity of Indian Harbor, "Such a report is perfectly ridiculous," she replied. "We have never had any intention of moving away from Princeton. I suppose the rumors arose from the fact that Mr. Cleveland was at Greenwich recently. As a matter of fact, he usually visits our friend, Mr. Benedict of that place every few weeks."

Powers in Pennsylvania.
Louisville, Feb. 13.—The Courier-Journal says: "One of the best-known lawyers in the eleventh district, who was in Louisville yesterday, stated as a positive fact that John L. Powers, who is under indictment for complicity in the murder of Gov. Goebel, left Knox county last September and went to Harrisburg, Pa., where, through the influence of Kentucky Republicans, he secured an appointment to office under the administration of Governor Stone."

Lockout at Scranton, Pa.
Scranton, Pa., Feb. 13.—The strike of the 4,000 silk workers in Scranton has resolved itself into a lockout. The mill owners and managers have declared they will not reopen their mills until the girls are willing to resume at the figures which were offered nearly two weeks ago, and in which there was a concession of 50 cents a week to each employee.

Queen's Mother Is Ill.
The Hague, Feb. 13.—It is rumored that the queen's mother will go to Bonn shortly to undergo a serious operation, the necessity for which is the reason that Queen Wilhelmina's marriage festivities were not posted as they would otherwise have been.

Explosion Kills Six Men.
London, Feb. 13.—Six men were killed today by an explosion in the Chilworth gunpowder works, near Guildford.

Boys Find a Sack of Gold.
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 13.—Clarence Gordon and Roy Riley, aged 16 and 15, respectively, were arrested in this city last night and \$870 in gold was found in a sashbag around Gordon's waist. The boys say that they saw two men bury the money on the night of Feb. 3 in Terre Haute, Ind., at a point where the Vandall line crosses the Wabash river. After the men departed they dug up the money. Gordon says his home is in Indiana and Riley says he lives in New York. They will be held pending investigation.

Will Build New Railroad.
San Diego, Cal., Feb. 13.—Ex-Mayor William H. Carlson of this city has resigned the position of government commissioner of railroads in Cuba and will come to San Diego with sufficient backing to build a railroad from here to Yuma, Ariz., according to a San Diegoan who has just returned from the island, where he met Mr. Carlson a number of times. This stretch of railroad has been the hope of San Diego citizens for years, as it will give a direct transcontinental line.

Illinois Pioneer Is Dead.
Mattoon, Ill., Feb. 13.—Mitchell Reed, 90 years old, a pioneer resident of Effingham county, is dead at Effingham. He was a native of Knox county, Tennessee. When 6 years old, his parents took him to Jackson's purchase in the Cherokee nation and he grew up among savages, becoming a trader and intimate of Davy Crockett, noted scout and frontiersman. The decedent came to Illinois in 1830.

Dispensary Bill For Kansas.
Topeka, Kan., Feb. 13.—Under the provisions of a bill introduced by Representative Green of Cowley county, the sale of liquor in Kansas is to be put absolutely in the hands of the state and to conform to the prohibitory provision of the state constitution. Liquor is to be sold at actual cost, plus maintenance of stations and salaries of agents.

Find Headless Body of a Man.
Columbus, O., Feb. 13.—At 1:30 this morning the headless body of a man was found in the rear of Charles Henson's saloon, 1950 South High street. The body had been badly hacked by a knife. There is no clue to the identity of the murdered man.

Oregon Move Favors Negro.
Salem, Ore., Feb. 13.—Both houses have adopted a resolution for the abrogation of the negro clause in the state constitution. The suffrage clause in the constitution now extends the voting privilege only to "white male citizens."

Woodmen Meet in South Bend.
South Bend, Ind., Feb. 12.—The annual convention of the Woodmen of the World for the states of Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and Michigan began in this city this afternoon. Several supreme officers are present and the convention will continue two days.

INVASION BY GEN. DEWET.

The Boer Leader Enters Cape Colony.

BRITISH ARE IN PURSUIT.

Kruitling's Commando Captures a Number of Australians—Fever Is Raging at Lourenco Marques and Deaths of Many British Are Reported.

Pretoria, Feb. 13.—General Christian Dewet crossed the Orange river into Cape Colony last night a few miles north of Norval's Post, and is now making for the Philippstown district. Generals Plumer, Knox and Bruce-Hamilton are following him. All the drifts are guarded and mined. It is believed he is well supplied with ammunition and good horses. The raiders belonging to the Boer eastern commando are being hard pressed. Colonel Henry has captured forty-five prisoners and fifty wagons. The British columns are converging under General French. They are forcing the Boers toward the southeastern corner of the Transvaal, between Natal and Swaziland. It was found in the districts traversed that the resistance was stimulated by the republication in a Dutch paper at Ermelo of stories of the maltreatment of women and the burning of farms. These stories were copied from English and colonial Boer papers. The stories regarding the maltreatment of women are false, and those about the burning of farms are generally exaggerated. The Boers attacked the Leydenberg garrison last week. They sent a few shells from a Long Tom, placed on the heights, accompanied by a long-range rifle fire. The attack was not serious. The Boers have plenty of Long Tom ammunition. It is reported that they have a 4.7 gun in their laager at Dullstroom, but have no ammunition for it. The Boers are expelling the Germans from the northern districts. A message has been sent to the Pienars river garrison to receive them.

British Captured by Kruitling.
Cape Town, Feb. 13.—Twenty-seven Australians, Cape police and dragoon were captured by Kruitling's commando, eight miles from Balaaspruit, Feb. 6, after a fight in which three British and five Boers were killed. The British were afterward released.

Fever Raging at Lourenco Marques.
Lourenco Marques, Feb. 13.—The fever season here is exceptionally disastrous. Many deaths of prominent British subjects have occurred. The majority belonged to the imperial railroad administrative staff, and had to be removed to a hospital ship in batches. Patients from Komatiport are arriving daily. The hospital ship is now filled to its capacity. The mortality among the Boer refugees is heavy.

CATARRH

Catarrh has become such a common disease that a person entirely free from this disgusting complaint is seldom met with. It is customary to speak of Catarrh as nothing more serious than a bad cold, a simple inflammation of the nose and throat. It is, in fact, a complicated and very dangerous disease; if not at first, it very soon becomes so.

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BADGER LAWYERS MEET AT MADISON

Annual Session of the State Bar Association—Society is in Good Shape and is Growing.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 12.—The annual meeting of the Wisconsin state bar association opened last evening. President Joshua Stark of Milwaukee delivered his annual address. The address was an elaborate historical resume of the process of the admission of lawyers to the Wisconsin bar from territorial days.

Reports of Secretary Cornelius I. Haring of Milwaukee and Treasurer Stanley C. Hanks of Madison showed the organization in good condition, with a membership of 450.

Judge George H. Noyes of Milwaukee, chairman of the committee on execution, submitted a report recommending a code of ethics similar to those in other states. Judge Noyes was appointed last year to prepare such a code, which will be discussed and adopted today.

Today some important addresses were delivered. B. K. Miller of Milwaukee read a paper on the new codes of Japan, and E. A. Otis of Chicago one on the career of Aaron Burr, an episode in American history. A banquet will follow this evening.

WOODES BY MAIL.

Edith Talbot, Actress to Wed T. J. Sharp of St. Louis.

Boston, Feb. 12.—Courtship by mail is the newest experience which has fallen to Miss Edith Talbot, a well-known actress, now a member of the stock company of the Bowdoin Square theater. Miss Talbot will retire from the stage Saturday to become the wife of Thomas J. Sharp, a wealthy St. Louis man. Miss Talbot has never seen Mr. Sharp to know him and his only view of her has been from a chair in the orchestra of a theater in Chicago. Nevertheless they are engaged to be married. Miss Talbot said last night: "Yes, I am going to marry a man I have never seen, and it is not the first bit of romance connected with my life. I have plans and I am going to marry him, whether it is for the better or worse." Miss Talbot has a photograph of Mr. Sharp and he has one of her. Sharp first saw Miss Talbot perform in Chicago five years ago and wrote her in manly fashion, expressing his admiration. The correspondence brought about a proposal of marriage. Miss Talbot took alarm at this and tried to elude her ardent wooer, and for a time no letters passed between them.

Finally, however, when her company was in St. Louis, she took the opportunity to hunt him up, and, finding that his claims as to social position and wealth were correct, she consented to unite her fortune with his. The wedding will take place in June.

SPANISH REPUBLICANS MEET.

Gather in Madrid and Hold Enthusiastic Celebration.

Madrid, Feb. 12.—The republicans held several meetings yesterday to celebrate the anniversary of the proclamation of the republic. The protesters endeavored to march in procession to the meeting with the federals, but the police barred their road and compelled them to disperse. The meetings were enthusiastic.

The provincial prefects now announce that tranquility has been restored in the various departments.

London, Feb. 12.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard, wiring at midnight, says:

"It is asserted tonight that about forty arrests have been made. Several policemen and some of the rioters have been injured in Madrid, as well as several rioters and four gendarmes at Saragossa, where martial law has been proclaimed."

Spain in a Turmoil.

Saragossa, Spain, Feb. 12.—In an encounter today between the police and an anti-clerical mob one man was killed and six wounded. The populace is inflamed by revolutionary speeches.

Lawyers Decline U. S. Judgeships.

Several able lawyers in northern Ohio, to whom fees are large and frequent, have shown, it is reported, by speedy declinations that the position of judge of the newly created United States district court there does not have sufficient attractions even with the honor added to the meager salary to induce them to accept the position.

Largest Eyes and Smallest Feet.

A Chinese poem celebrates the praises of a Chinese beauty named Ai-ee, who lived about the time of the much-lamented emperor Mo-yang, in the eleventh century. She was said to have the largest eyes and the smallest feet of any lady of her time.

Python Swallows Orang-Outangs.

A large python which had been fasting for two months in the Perth (West Australia) Zoological Gardens made its ways into a cage of orang-outangs and swallowed two of the occupants.

Lockjaw from Vaccination.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 12.—Francis McCormack, aged 8, died at the Mercy hospital last night from lockjaw, resulting from vaccination.

Spanish Poet Is Dead.

Madrid, Feb. 12.—Don Ramon de Campoamor, the poet, philosopher and statesman, is dead.

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We carry the very best quality of taffeta silks in nearly every color and shade that is made, and sell them to you a little cheaper than any one else.

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HELEN SERVATIUS,

Opposite Postoffice.

Store will be open every evening.

GIRLS SET IMPOSSIBLE TASK.

Decide They Will Not Speak a Single Word During Lent.

Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 12.—If the vows of ten young women in Binghamton are carried out ten or more young men of this city will have to cease calling upon the same young ladies during Lent unless they will be satisfied to talk with the sign language.

Under the leadership of a Chicago girl, Miss Helen Johnson, ten girls have sworn not to talk during the penitential season and now the young men do not know whether to rejoice or to mourn. They realize that they will now have a chance to do some of the talking themselves, but they realize also that they may not be able to stand the strain and keep the conversational stream flowing.

The young women are not anxious about this side of the question, however, but are wondering how they are going to restrain their shopping propensities for forty days. At present they pronounce it "perfectly lovely" and say they are going to inaugurate similar clubs in Chicago and other cities.

Collar and Cuff Combine.

New York, Feb. 12.—The long-talked-of syndicate of Troy (N. Y.) collar, cuff and shirt wholesale houses is now regarded as a certainty by the manufacturers concerned. No outside capital will be required to swing the combination, the name of which will probably be the American Collar, Cuff and Shirt company. With the exception of the following firms, every well-known house in the trade having factories at Troy will be identified with the combine: Earl & Wilson, the William Barker company, E. W. Marvin, Corliss, Coon & Co., and Elmer & Zraub. The interests of those represented in the deal aggregate \$20,000,000.

Nash Has Upper Hand.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Feb. 12.—A careful analysis of the situation here leads to the conclusion that the prize fight between Jeffries and Rubin will not take place as scheduled. It may be held later, when the upper courts have passed on the legal points involved, but that is a contingency of the future. These deductions are made without the added weight of the preparations of Governor Nash, who has arranged for transportation of the militia to stop the mill even if the court rules favorably.

Drink 300 Pounds of Arsenic.

Liverpool, Feb. 12.—Dr. Campbell Brown, the city analyst, testifying at a beer-poisoning inquest, estimated from samples that the average weekly consumption of beer in Liverpool in summer time would contain 300 pounds of arsenic, enough to kill 1,000,000 people if administered in equal doses and at one time.

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